GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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Traffic at Railway Crossings
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of such railway crossings, where there is a heavy traffic in various States/Union Territories of the country;
(b) the steps, on the part of railways, that have been taken to ensure smooth running of traffic there; and

(c) the details of the action plan to build Railway Under Bridge (RUB) at the Phulera end railway crossing where there is a heavy traffic?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINSTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) & (b): There are 2,695 level crossings (LCs) having traffic density more than 1 lac Train Vehicle Unit (TVU) in the country as on 01.04.2016. Out of 2,695 LCs, work for elimination of 1,259 LCs by construction of Road Over Bridge (ROBs)/Road Under Bridges (RUBs) has already been sanctioned by Railways.
Out of 2,695 LCs, work for elimination of 218 LCs by construction of ROBs/RUBs is to be done by Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH)/National Highway Authority of India (NHAI) at their cost as per Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) signed between Ministry of Railways and Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) on 10.11.2014.

(c): Work for construction of subway in lieu of level crossing No. 152 in Phulera Yard has been sanctioned.
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